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FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING THE

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	Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. JP 2003-052844
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